

# CITY OF SPOKANE



## PROCLAMATION

**WHEREAS**, the City of Spokane is committed to increasing and improving public safety by fostering a healthy and compassionate community where all people feel safe, empowered, and welcome; and

**WHEREAS**, the Spokane Police Department celebrates Spokane Strong Month in October by educating citizens on the importance of having a safety prevention mindset, reminding the community to LOCK (Lock items in your trunk, Observe and report unusual activities, Cars should never run unattended, Keep Garage doors closed,) to help reduce property crime and helping to raise awareness about domestic violence through the #EndTheSilence campaign; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with National Fire Prevention Month, the Spokane Fire Department dedicates the month of October to educating citizens on the importance of fire prevention and life safety issues. This year's Fire Prevention Week campaign theme, "Not every hero wears a cape. Plan and practice your escape," will be observed October 6-12 as a continued effort to educate the public about basic but essential steps to take to reduce the likelihood of having a fire and how to escape safely in the event of one; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Spokane has become smarter through innovative solutions, safer through better alignment to our community's priorities, and healthier by promoting diversity and addressing homelessness and mental health concerns:

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, David A. Condon, Mayor of the City of Spokane, on behalf of the citizens of Spokane, do hereby proclaim October 2019 as

### SPOKANE STRONG MONTH

I, David A. Condon, Mayor of Spokane,  
do hereunto set my hand and  
cause the seal of the City of Spokane  
to be affixed this  
1<sup>st</sup> day of October 2019.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David A. Condon".

David A. Condon  
Mayor

